

INTERFERENCE INITIAL MEMORANDUM.
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES: An interference is found to exist between the following cases:
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Count 1

PARTY	SERIAL NO.	FILING DATE	PATENT NO., IF ANY	ISSUE DATE, IF ANY
EATON ET AL	08/422548	04/13/95		

application has been patented, have maintenance fees been paid? Yes No Maintenance fees not due yet

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COUNTRY					
US		08/223263	4/4/94		
US		08/196689	2/15/94		
US		08/185607	1/21/94		
US		08/176553	1/3/94		

The claim(s) of this party which correspond(s) to this count is(are):

PATENTABLE CLAIMS	UNPATENTABLE CLAIMS
13 14	NONE

The claim(s) of this party which does(not) correspond to this count is(are):

PATENTABLE CLAIMS	UNPATENTABLE CLAIMS
NONE	NONE

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EATON ET AL	08/429765	4/26/95		

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US		08/348658	12/2/94		
US		08/176553	1/3/94		

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6 7 24-26	NONE

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DATE	PRIMARY EXAMINER (Signature)	TELEPHONE NO.	ART UNIT
7/30/98	<i>J. Spector</i>	508-1793	1646

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US	08/374540	1/18/95		
US	08/249376	5/25/94		
US	08/223263	4/4/94		
US	08/196689	2/15/94		
US	08/348658	12/2/94		
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US	08/348657	12/2/94		
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HOLLY ET AL	08/464 187	06/05/95		

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COUNTRY	US	08/252,491	06/01/94		
	US	08/215,203	03/21/94		
	US	08/203,197	02/25/94		
	US	08/196,025	02/14/94		

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EATON ET AL	08/900058	7/24/97		

If application has been patented, have maintenance fees been paid? Yes No Maintenance fees not due yet

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	US	08/348658	12/2/94		
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MIYAZAKI, ET AL	08/592,131	1/26/96		

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US	08/535025	11/30/95		
US	08/381478	1/31/95		
US	08/361811	12/22/94		
US	08/320300	10/11/94		
US	08/278083	7/20/94		
US	08/221020	4/1/94		
US	08/212164	3/14/94		
JAPAN	6-39090	2/14/94		
JAPAN	6-79842	3/25/94		
JAPAN	6-155126	6/1/94		
JAPAN	6-167328	6/15/94		
JAPAN	6-227159	8/17/94		
JAPAN	6-193169	8/17/94		
JAPAN	6-193916	8/18/94		
JAPAN	6-304167	11/1/94		
JAPAN	6-298669	12/1/94		
JAPAN	6-341200	12/28/94		

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